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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG

SUBJECT: SUPPLY OF AUTOMOTIVE DIESEL OIL TO EXPORTADORA DE SAL, S.A.

REF: STATE 098844

1. EMBASSY HAS ASCERTAINED THAT PETROLEOS MEXICANOS (PEMEX, STATE OIL AGENCY) WOULD ENCOUNTER CONSIDERABLE DIFFICULTIES IN MAKING DELIVERIES AUTOMOTIVE DIESEL OIL TO EXPORTADORA DE SAL IN REMOTE PART OF BAJA. WHILE DIESEL COULD EVENTUALLY BE OBTAINED FROM JAPAN, TRANSPORT EXPENSES AND SHORTAGES THERE WOULD TEND MAKE SUCH OPERATION IMPRACTICABLE.

2. RECOMMENDATION: WE BELIEVE THAT THE GENERAL POLICY LINE VIS-AVIS U.S.-MEXICAN BORDER INTERCHANGE OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS SHOULD BE ONE OF MAXIMUM COOPERATION ON RECIPROCAL BASIS. AS MEXICO REACHES SELF SUFFICIENCY IN CRUDE PRODUCTION INCOMING MONTHS, THERE MAY WELL BE GREATER OPPORTUNITIES AFFORDED FOR MODEST PURCHASES (SUCH AS EXPORTADORA DEAL) BY U.S. FIRMS ALONG BORDER OF MEXICAN PETROLEUM PRODUCTS. ACCORDINGLY, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT PETROLEUM EXCEPTIONS COMMITTEE APPROVE

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EDGIGTON SALE 25,000 BARRELS PER QUARTER AS EVIDENCE

U.S. INTEREST MAINTAINING COOPERATIVE POSTURE ON QUESTION  
BORDER SALES.  
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